

Appl. No. 10/576,719

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Examiner Samala called the undersigned on October 22, 2007 to request that claims 1, 2 and 13 to 16 be canceled because the Examiner alleged that these claims were not novel.

To advance the prosecution of the above-identified application, applicants have followed the Examiner's request and have canceled claims 1, 2 and 13 to 16.

Favorable consideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested.

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